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STRUCTURES

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 3, 2002, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, species I, figures 6-11, and claims 1-5 and 10-16 readable thereon, to prosecute in the above-identified patent application.

If any fees are due in connection with the filing this Response to Restriction Requirement, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 12-2252 (Order No. 01-377/LSI1P180).

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